NOV - 5 2003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Via fax 571-273-8300

In re Application of: Smith et al.

Examiner: McIntoish Traviss C.

Group Art Unit: 1712 1623

Serial No: -09/493,172 10/662175

Filed: 09/15/2003

Title: Antimicrobial Quaternary Surfactants based upon Alkyl Polyglycoside

TROH CENTER 1800/200

Honorable Commissioner P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria Va.

Sir:

Please enter the following amendment in response to the office action dated October 31, 2005.

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

AMENDMENT "A"